

2022 BLUE MORGAN JUNIOR ROAD STATE SERIES GUIDE

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1 OVERVIEW

The AusCycling Junior Road State Series events are a critical part of the Racing competition structure and pathway. The following are the series specific regulations for Victoria.

2 BLUE MORGANE STATE SERIES ROUNDS - VICTORIA

- Round 1 9-10 April 2022 Alpe de Buffalo Alpine and Hawthorn Cycling Clubs
- Round 2 7-8 May 2022 Ararat Junior Tour Ararat and District Cycling Club
- Round 3 18-19 June 2022 Broadford Junior Tour AusCycling
- Round 4 8-10 July 2022 Eildon Junior Tour Blackburn Cycling Club
- Round 5 13-14 August 2022 2022 Junior Road State Championships (Glenrowan) Caulfield Carnegie Cycling Club

3 BLUE MORGANE STATE SERIES QUALIFICATION - VICTORIA

The minimum qualification for the Victorian Series are three (3) rounds.

Please Note:

In order to have your place recognised in the Victorian Series:

- The rider must be a primary member of a club in Victoria. Participation in all events is open to all riders within the appropriate age groups.
- The rider must have earned points to appear in the series standings
- The rider must not be registered in the Junior Road Series of a different state during the same season (A rider can only pursue one Junior Road Series per season). Riders are automatically registered to compete in the series in which their primary club is located. Riders wishing to compete in a different state's Junior Road Series must submit their request in writing to <u>events@auscycling.org.au</u>

4 BLUE MORGAN STATE SERIES POINTS - VICTORIA

The AusCycling Junior Road points for the Series will be awarded based on the overall finishing place within each stage or standalone event, in accordance with the table below:

Place	Points	Place	Points	Place	Points	Place	Points
1 st	25	6 th	15	11 th	10	16 th	5
2 nd	22	7 th	14	12 th	9	17 th	4
3 rd	20	8 th	13	13 th	8	18 th	3
4 th	18	9 th	12	14 th	7	19 th	2
5 th	16	10 th	11	15 th	6	20+, DNF	1

4.1 RIDERS NOT COMPLETING TOUR STAGES

During a Tour rider who DNF, DNS or are disqualified at any stage may be allowed to continue the tour but will not be eligible for series points or the general classification of the tour.

4.2 BONUS POINTS

Bonus points will be awarded in all categories:

- for the general classification at all tours (rounds 1-4) as follows:

Place	Points
1 st	5
2 nd	4
3 rd	3
4 th	2
5 th	1

- for the State Junior Championship time trial and road race each as follows:

Place	Points
1 st	15
2 nd	12
3 rd	10
4 th	8
5 th	6
6 th	5
7 th	4
8 th	3
9 th	2
10 th	1

5 BLUE MORGAN STATE SERIES POINTS CALCULATION - VICTORIA

Series points will be calculated by adding the total points earned on each stage and adding all bonus points earned, per rider.

5.1 COMBINED CATEGORIES

In the scenario where categories have been combined at an event (for whatever reason), points will be awarded separately. For example, if B grade is merged with A grade the riders will be separated for points in their category.

5.2 RIDERS CHANGING GRADES

- Riders of the Junior 15 or Junior 17 categories that move or are promoted from B to A grade during the series will keep one third (1/3) of their series points previously scored in B grade.

- Riders of the Junior 15 or Junior 17 categories that move or are demoted from A to B grade during the series will not retain any series points previously scored in A grade.

5.3 TIE BREAK

When competitors share the same number of total series points ties will be broken using the following method:

- 1. The competitor with the highest number of stage/standalone event wins.
- 2. The competitor with the highest number of second places at stage/standalone events.
- 3. The competitor with the highest number of third places at stage/standalone events.
- 4. If still tied, the riders will receive the same series placing.

6 BLUE MORGAN STATE SERIES CATEGORIES - VICTORIA

The Series Categories that must be conducted within each Series round and will be recognised accordingly in series points, are as listed below:

Category	Grade	Age Eligibility (as of December 31 2022)
Junior 17 (Male)	A and B	15-16
Junior 17 (Female)	A and B	15-16
Junior 15 (Male)	A and B	13-14
Junior 15 (Female)	A and B	13-14
Junior 13 (Male)*		11-12
Junior 13 (Female)*		11-12

*Junior 13 Girls and Boys will be combined at all events with series points being awarded separately.

The event host is entitled to offer additional categories (for example J11 or J19) at their event. However, no series points will be awarded for these categories.

6.1 RIDING UP

Riding up is not permitted in Victorian Junior Series events.

7 GRADING

- Junior 15 and Junior 17 riders will be graded (A or B) by AusCycling at the first series event they participate in based on their recent performance and results.
- Riders may be promoted or demoted during the series at the discretion of AusCycling (published on the series page after each round).
- Riders will not be promoted after round 4 if they have participated and placed in previous rounds.

8 SERIES AWARDS

Riders the recognised categories who meet the Series Qualification requirements and finish in the below mentioned placings will receive the following prizing:

Prize	Placing
Medals	1st Place, 2nd Place, 3rd Place

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8.1 AWARD PRESENTATIONS

Awards will be presented at the 2022 AusCycling Junior Road State Championships in Glenrowan.

9 EVENT PRIZES

For each round of the Series the Host will provide the prizes.

10 OTHER INFORMATION

- All events will be conducted in accordance with the AusCycling Technical Regulations:
 - o <u>General</u>
 - o <u>Road</u>
- Junior equipment and gear restrictions (as outlined in the above mentioned documents) will apply for all events. Riders that do not comply with these restrictions may be disqualified from the event.
- This Series is only open to members of AusCycling who have an All Discipline membership and are aged in the recognised categories.

AusCycling reserves the right to amend this document, and the rules contained within, at any time.